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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 5898-000194

First Inventor Daniel P. Lawrence et al

Title CONDUCTIVE FLEXOGRAPHIC AND GRAVURE INK

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 30]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive title of the Invention
  - Cross References to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C.113) [Total Sheets 2]
5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 1]
  - a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))  
(for a continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
  - i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATIONS PARTS

7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
  - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
  - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
    - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
    - ii. ☐ paper
  - c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies
9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement ☒ Power of Attorney  
(when there is an assignee)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ Request and Non Publication under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.
17. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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|----------------------|---------------------------|
| Application Number   | Not yet assigned          |
| Filing Date          | February 14, 2002         |
| First Named Inventor | Daniel P. Lawrence et al. |
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| Group / Art Unit     | Not yet assigned          |
| Attorney Docket No.  | 5898-000194               |

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**FEE CALCULATION****1. BASIC FILING FEE**

| Large Fee Code | Entity (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity (\$) | Fee Description        | Fee Paid |
|----------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|----------|
| 101            | 740         | 201            | 370         | Utility filing fee     | 740      |
| 106            | 330         | 206            | 165         | Design filing fee      |          |
| 107            | 510         | 207            | 255         | Plant filing fee       |          |
| 108            | 740         | 208            | 370         | Reissue filing fee     |          |
| 114            | 160         | 214            | 80          | Provisional filing fee |          |

**SUBTOTAL (1)**(\$)**740****2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

|                    |    |        |   |    |   |    |   |     |
|--------------------|----|--------|---|----|---|----|---|-----|
| Total Claims       | 42 | -20 ** | = | 22 | X | 18 | = | 396 |
| Independent Claims | 7  | -3 **  | = | 4  | X | 84 | = | 336 |
| Multiple Dependent |    |        |   |    | X |    | = | 0   |

| Large Fee Code | Entity (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity (\$) | Fee Description  |
|----------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|--|
| 103            | 18          | 203            | 9           | Claims in excess of 20                                     |
| 102            | 84          | 202            | 42          | Independent claims in excess of 3                          |
| 104            | 280         | 204            | 140         | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                      |
| 109            | 84          | 209            | 42          | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
| 110            | 18          | 210            | 9           | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

**SUBTOTAL (2)**(\$)**732**

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| 105      | 130               | 205      | 65                | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  |          |
| 127      | 50                | 227      | 25                | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.                    |          |
| 139      | 130               | 139      | 130               | Non-English specification  |          |
| 147      | 2,520             | 147      | 2,520             | For filing a request for reexamination                                     |          |
| 112      | 920*              | 112      | 920*              | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |          |
| 113      | 1,840*            | 113      | 1,840*            | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 115      | 110               | 215      | 55                | Extension for reply within first month                                     |          |
| 116      | 400               | 216      | 200               | Extension for reply within second month                                    |          |
| 117      | 920               | 217      | 460               | Extension for reply within third month                                     |          |
| 118      | 1,440             | 218      | 720               | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |          |
| 128      | 1,960             | 228      | 980               | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |          |
| 119      | 320               | 219      | 160               | Notice of Appeal   |          |
| 120      | 320               | 220      | 160               | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 121      | 280               | 221      | 140               | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 138      | 1,510             | 138      | 1,510             | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |
| 140      | 110               | 240      | 55                | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
| 141      | 1,280             | 241      | 640               | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
| 142      | 1,280             | 242      | 640               | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |          |
| 143      | 460               | 243      | 230               | Design issue fee   |          |
| 144      | 620               | 244      | 310               | Plant issue fee  |          |
| 122      | 130               | 122      | 130               | Petitions to the Commissioner  |          |
| 123      | 50                | 123      | 50                | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)                                       |          |
| 126      | 180               | 126      | 180               | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt                                  |          |
| 581      | 40                | 581      | 40                | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | 40       |
| 146      | 740               | 246      | 370               | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))              |          |
| 149      | 740               | 249      | 370               | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))           |          |
| 179      | 740               | 279      | 370               | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    |          |
| 169      | 900               | 169      | 900               | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  |          |

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